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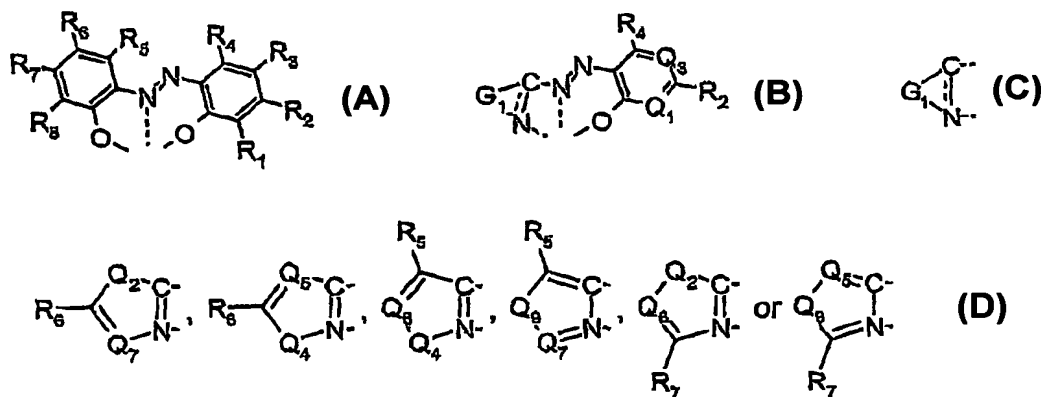
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to an optical recording medium comprising a substrate, a reflecting layer and a recording layer, wherein the recording layer comprises a compound of formula [L₁Mr-4L-2]₀ [A^m]_p [Zⁿ⁺]_q (I), [L₁M_{r-3}L-3]₀ [A^m]_p [Zⁿ⁺]_q (II) or [L₃M^{r+}2L₄]₀ [A^m]_p [Zⁿ⁺]_q (III), or where applicable a mesomeric or tautomeric form thereof, wherein L₁ and L₂ are each independently of the other and L₃ and L₄ are each independently of the other wherein Q₁ is CR₃ or N, Q₂ is SO₂, S, NR₁₀ or Q₅=Q₈, Q₃ is CR₃ or N, Q₄ is O, S, NR₁₀ or Q₇=Q₈, Q₅ is CR₃ or N, Q₆ is CR₆ or N, Q₇ is CR₇ or N, Q₈ is CR₈ or N, and Q₉ is O, S, NR₁₀ or Q₆=Q₈; M^r, A^m, Zⁿ⁺, R₂, R₉ are as defined in the claims.

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